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E.O. 11652:GDS

TAGS: MOPS, MARR, TH

SUBJECT: AIRCRAFT REDEPLOYMENT

REF: STATE 58918

1. WE ARE INFORMED OF JCS "EXECUTE" MESSAGE NOW BEING SENT FOR REMOVAL OF ONE TDY A-7 SQUADRON CURRENTLY DUE FOR NORMAL ROTATION. SQUADRON WOULD NOT BE REPLACED THUS, IN EFFECT, BEGINNING AHEAD OF SCHEDULE THE TACAIR WITHDRAWAL MENTIONED REFTTEL PARA 3E.

2. RE ARE ATTEMPTING TO GET A DELAY IN TRANSMISSION OF THAT MESSAGE, AND IN ANY CASE THE MATTER WILL BE REVIEWED BY SECY KISSINGER AFTER HIS RETURN TO WASHINGTON. IN THE MEANTIME, AND PENDING HIS REVIEW OF THE MERITS OF THE CASE, YOU SHOULD TAKE STEPS TO ASSURE THAT THAIS DO NOT LEARN OF THE PROPOSED DRAWDOWN. WE WOULD WELCOME YOUR VIEWS OF ANY PROBLEMS THAT WOULD BE CAUSED FOR YOU OR FOR THAIS IF THIS EARLIER-THAN-PLANNED DRAWDOWN TAKES PLACE. WE EXPECT TO MAKE SURE THAT IN ANY EVENT RTG WILL BE ABLE TO MAKE

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